

**AN AWFUL RECORD OF CRIME.**

**WHITELY THE LYNCHED MURDERER.**

Said to have been the Murderer of Five People.

Concord N. C. June 10, 1892.—Everybody is discussing the Whitley-Tucker affair in Stanly county. Nothing in fiction can equal this affair, when everything is considered. It seems that Alex. Whitley and others, several years ago, stole a lot of money from one Smith. John Cagle knew that these were the guilty parties and in order to get him out of the way they killed him. The courts did not prove this but almost everybody was fully convinced that such was the case. It was supposed that Whitley also killed his first wife. He took her to the mountains and that is the last that was ever seen of her.

The woman named Burris, who was jailed as an accomplice in the Tucker murder since Whitley was lynched, makes some very startling statements. She was afraid of him, and while he was hiding in Stanly she was afraid to leave the house of her father. She says that Whitley, while in Arkansas, killed his two children, and also says that he was the murderer of Tucker.

Whitley, it seems, brought Tucker's trunk here to North Carolina by forging an order on the railroad. Tucker, when found, had the bill of lading for it, while it was in this State. It is given as a reason for the murder that Whitley had an old grudge at T.; besides, they were gambling. Years ago it seems they had a difficulty, and Whitley then said that he would shoot him some time.

George Whitley, brother of the lynched man, is in custody in Arkansas for aiding in this crime. They are a dangerous gang and have been greatly feared by those who knew them. The reason this woman did not give him away before he was jailed, was that he would have murdered her. This story is not likely to be quite complete, for the Whitleys, it is said, belong to a regular band of cut-throats who no doubt will be heard from further. The Stanly citizens did not lynch Whitley especially for the murder of T., but, his past record of murder, etc., and seeing that the law did not reach him on those cases, were determined that he should pay the penalty of death—his just desert. Of course the law should have had its course but they were afraid that he would, if taken to Arkansas, get away and then more murder would have been the result, and if the woman's story is true,

that is that he murdered his two innocent children, slew T., murdered Cagle and is suspected of murdering his first wife, they certainly had some grounds for such action. These facts were obtained from hearing people converse who live in the locality of the scenes, and are probably true, but I will not vouch for them. Whitley's wife is also his half sister. It is very probable that she will be released since it is rather evident that she was not an accomplice in the murder.

**A Business Secret.**

A large manufacturer took into his office a nephew who, to put it mildly, was rather feeble minded. One day the nephew came to his uncle and complained of the head clerk, Jones.

"Uncle, what do you suppose the head clerk Jones, has been telling people about me?"

"I have no idea."  
"He has been telling everybody that I am a fool."

"I will see him about it and tell him to keep quiet. He has no right to expose the secrets of the office."

**Murder in a Mill.**

Greenville, June 9.—Yesterday morning Ed Capps, a white boy, employed in Lanuea's Cotton Mills here, struck B. C. Casey, another employee, on the head with a piece of scantling, crushing the skull. Casey died this morning and Capps is in jail. The coroner's jury to-day returned a verdict of murder. Casey had a difficulty with James Gilmer and had struck Gilmer with his fist. Capps interfered and struck the fatal blow.

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**South Carolina Division**

Trains run by 75th. Meridian time. Condensed Schedule in effect May 15, 1892.

No 38 West Lim. No. 12. No. 10 Northbound, Daily Da

Leave Charleston.....	6 00 a m	6 00 p m
Leave Augusta.....	8 15 p m	7 00 p m
Arrive Graniteville.....	8 42 p m	7 55 p m
Arrive Trenton.....	9 15 p m	8 29 p m
Arrive Johnsons.....	9 29 p m	8 43 p m
Arrive Columbia.....	1 15 p m	10 40 p m
Arrive Wmnsboro.....	2 04 p m	10 50 p m
Arrive Chester.....	3 25 p m	1 22 a m
Arrive Rock Hill.....	4 13 p m	1 23 a m
Arrive Fort Mill.....	4 50 p m	3 10 a m
Arrive Charlotte.....	5 17 p m	7 00 a m
Leave Salisbury.....	10 34 p m	25 p m
Leave Gr'nabe.....	11 00 p m	11 38 a m
Arrive Richm. d.....	7 40 a m	5 30 p m
Arrive Wash'g. on.....	8 38 a m	10 25 a m
Arrive Baltimore.....	10 08 a m	12 05 p m
Arrive Philade. via.....	12 35 p m	2 20 p m
Arrive New York.....	3 20 p m	4 50 p m

Southbound, No. 37.

Leave New York.....	4 30 p m	12 15 a m
Leave Philadelphia.....	6 57 a m	3 50 a m
Leave Baltimore.....	9 45 a m	6 50 a m
Leave Washington.....	11 00 p m	11 10 a m
Leave Richmond.....	3 20 a m	3 00 p m
Leave Greensboro.....	7 09 a m	10 25 p m
Leave Salisbury.....	8 28 a m	12 28 a m
Leave Charlotte.....	9 35 a m	2 10 a m
Leave Rock Hill.....	2 47 a m	2 26 p m
Leave Chester.....	3 03 a m	2 43 p m
Leave Wmnsboro.....	3 44 a m	3 28 p m
Leave Columbia.....	4 40 a m	4 20 p m
Leave Johnsons.....	5 25 a m	6 05 p m
Leave Trenton.....	8 12 a m	7 53 p m
Leave Graniteville.....	8 28 a m	8 08 p m
Leave Augusta.....	8 55 a m	8 36 p m
Arrive Charleston.....	9 30 a m	9 15 p m

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